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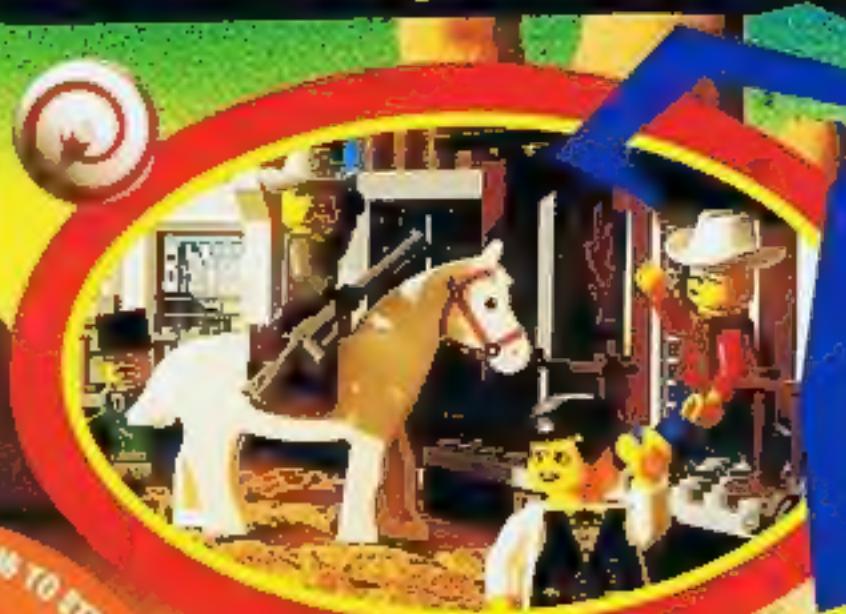
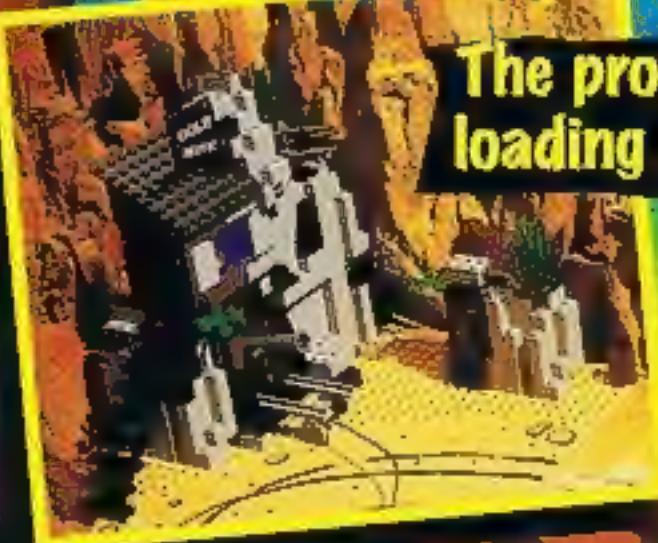
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TIME CRUISER
PATCH INSIDE
THIS MAGAZINE!



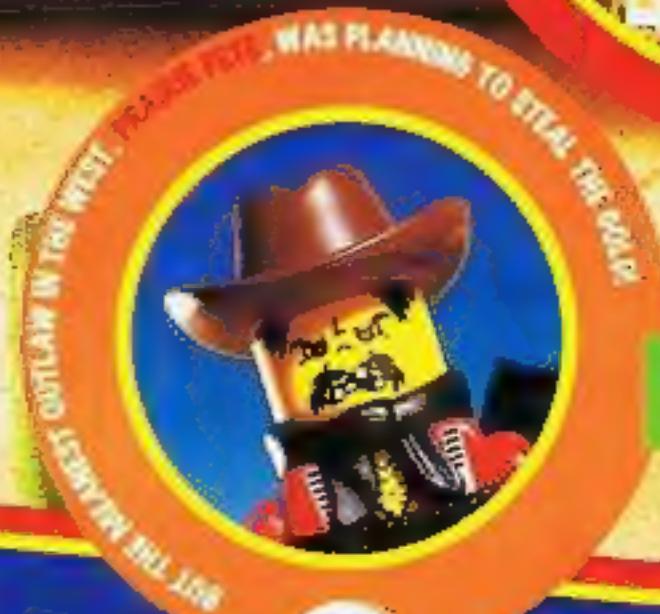
WESTERN

TAKE A TRIP

The prospectors at **Diggers Gold Mine** were loading their hard-won gold onto the stagecoach.



"Just a few more sacks and we'll have enough for our holiday in **Silver City**!" said their leader, Zack.



As the last sack was loaded, he leaped onto the stagecoach.



"Ye-ha! Thanks for the hard work, suckers! I'm off to spend the loot!" he yelled.

He tipped his food supplies from the mine's old water barrel and took out a box of sugar lumps.

"No pesky bush whackin' varmint gets my gold!" said cunning Zack.



OUT WEST

Flip N' Build
your own Wild
West Wagon!

Step
1

"Our gold's gone and
you're thinking
about food?"
shouted the miners in
disbelief.

BOOM!
The sugar lumps flew from the gun and landed just
ahead of the stagecoach.

The horses couldn't resist. They pulled up short
and were soon crunching away on the cubes.

"Cool it and watch,
you dozy diggers!"

Yelled Prairie Pete, loading the
sugar into the mine's
old cannon.

"Okay, Pete! One
lump or two?"

YUM YUM!

"Come on,
you no-good nags!"
Yelled Pete. But it was useless.
The horses were too busy
tucking into the sugar.

Hearing the cannon, Fort Apache's cavalry troopers were soon on the
scene to take care of Prairie Pete and return the gold to the miners.

"Nice work, Zack. We can book our
holidays in Silver City after all!"

laughed the miners.

Cavalry to the rescue!!

And Prairie Pete?
"He's goin' to town ~~an~~ well...
to the jail house!"

Gggrrrh!

ALL ABOUT GOLD

Gold has always been one of the most precious metals. In fact so precious that it is used to crown Kings and Queens. But where does gold come from?

Gold is found in two different forms - 'Vein gold' and 'Eluvial gold'. 'Vein gold' is deposits of gold in rock - known as the source. 'Eluvial gold' is the flakes of gold carried downstream in sand and gravel of stream and river beds.

THE GREAT GOLD RUSH OF 1848

In the mid 1800's thousands of folk like Zack flocked to America's West Coast. They packed their belongings onto wagons and travelled to California. They wanted to make their fortunes by 'striking gold' and became known as 'prospectors' because they went looking for gold.

Once there, they marked their territory with a wooden stake - this was known as a 'claim' - and this area claimed by them could only be mined by them. To discover if it was rich with gold they had to pan for it.

Panning for gold is a washing and swirling process of gravel and sand thought to hold the precious metal. Because gold weighs the

heaviest this enables it to settle at the bottom of the pan.

GOLD PANNEING WITH LEGO

Because so many prospectors travelled West, new settlements grew - just like

GOLD COMPETITION

Here's your chance to win lots of great LEGO Western prizes.

Three first prize winners will each receive a LEGO Western Fort Apache (6769).

There are also ten runners-up prizes of LEGO Western Digger's Gold Mine (6781) and 15 3rd prizes of LEGO Western Rustler's Retreat sets (6712).

All you have to do is answer correctly these questions:

Zack and his Western pals knew all about gold digging and joined the **GREAT GOLD RUSH OF 1848**. But how much do you know about gold?

"Rowdy! I'm Zack. I've made a good livin' from gold!"



LEGO WESTERN's Silver City (6785) - where large mines were sunk to reach deeper into the ground for more gold.

Luckily LEGO Western Digger's Gold Mine (6781) is protected by the cavalry to ward off any baddies trying to steal the precious hoard!

Experience the thrill of gold panning at LEGOLAND Windsor and imagine you're a prospector. You come away with a special gold medallion!



WELSH GOLD

You can pan for real gold at Welsh Gold in Porthcawl. The mine has been working since the 1800's and became one of the richest in Britain.

And did you know it also has a royal connection? It's a tradition in this country for members of the Royal Family to have their wedding rings made from pure Welsh Gold!

If you visit Welsh Gold you can learn how to pan for gold and any you find, you may keep. You can take an underground tour of the Gwynfynydd Mine, mine mineral samples from the gold vein, see the machinery in action, see how rock is blasted and if you are lucky, get to fire the exploder!

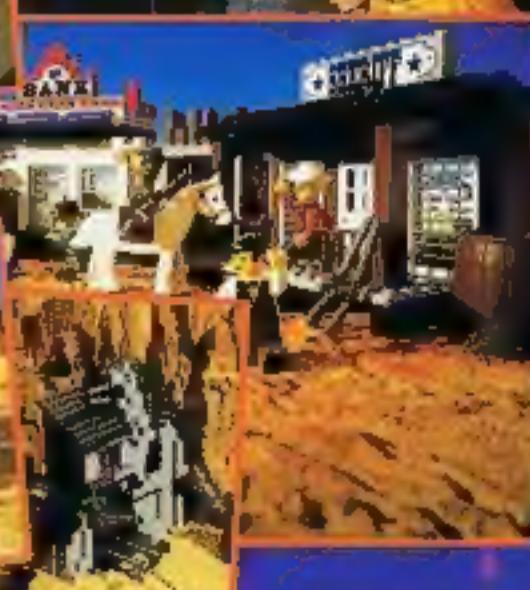
FOOL'S GOLD

'Fool's Gold' is a worthless metal called iron pyrite which looks like gold. Many of the Gold Rush prospectors were fooled into believing they had 'struck gold'!

INFO!

To book your visit to LEGOLAND WINDSOR tel: 0990 626364. LEGO Club members can get in for just £10.

For information on Welsh Gold call: 01241 423332



1. What's the other name for 'Fool's Gold'?

2. What are people who look for gold called?

3. Who tried to steal Zack's gold?

Send your answers with your name, address and membership number on a postcard to:

Gold Competition
LEGO Club, LEGO UK
Wrexham, LL13 2TB

Closing date: 30th September, 1996

MEET A COOL NEW TEAM



DR. CYBER

discovered the secrets of time travel in an ancient map, and has been cruising the centuries ever since! Working in his dual-purpose home and laboratory, the Labo, he has built a range of cool time-tripping vehicles to hop across the years!

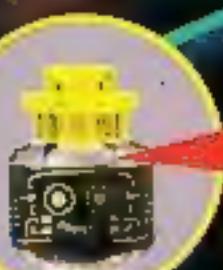
TIME CRUISERS

Top of the range is the Flybo - a flying, sailing, wheeling object ideal for long-haul time travel. Then there's the Navigator, with essential equipment for trips to foreign lands and distant time-zones! Shorter hops in time can be handled in Tim's favourite, the Scooty, with its twin propellers!

And after a hard day's time travel, the Labo - with its flying objects, galaxy watches and all manner of time travel equipment - is the ideal place to relax and plan more adventures!

TIM

Before becoming a Time Cruiser Tim was just an ordinary kid. He became a LEGO Club Master Builder and started helping Dr Cyber create wacky new time machines built from LEGO pieces found in different time zones.



WACCO

The wacky cyborgian, Dr Cyber's first invention with 'fantastic plastic'.

INGO



Always ready for monkey business in time travel

Step
2

5

HYPNO WHEEL
COMPETITION

Can you find how many hypno wheels are hidden on the pages of this issue of Bricks'n'Pieces? You could be one of 5 lucky winners of a Time Cruiser set.

Send your name, address, membership No. and answer on a postcard to:

Time Cruiser Competition
The LEGO Club, LEGO UK, Ruthin Road, LL15 7JQ
Closing date: 30th September 1998

Tim was doing his homework at Dr Cyber's house, the Labo.

"I've got to draw a dinosaur for my homework and I just can't make it look right!" said Tim.

"I've got an idea!" said Dr Cyber.

Dr Cyber, Tim and their companions, Wacco and Ingo were soon aboard the Flybo and heading back to the time of the **dinosaurs!**

"Wow, this is cool!" said Tim. "That's a real stegosaurus over there!"

"Yes... and that's a real pterodactyl coming to get us..."

LOOK OUT!
yelled Dr Cyber.

The flying reptile dived down on the friends, grabbing Ingo in its beak. But Wacco the robot sprang into action.

"Leave it to me!" said the robot, taking a spare wheel from the Flybo and hurling it into the air. The wheel hit the pterodactyl on the head and the creature dropped Ingo in surprise.

The monkey fell to earth safely, but as his friends checked that he was all right, they heard the sound of heavy footsteps.

"The stegosaurus has come to see what the fuss is about!" yelled Dr Cyber. "Let's head for home!"

Safely back at the Labo, the travellers sat down to watch television.

From the set came the voice of a news reader

"Scientists are baffled by a 140 million year old wheel found inside the stomach of a fossilised pterodactyl!"

"That silly creature decided to eat our wheel instead of Ingo!" laughed Dr Cyber. "It's a good job we've got a spare here at the Labo!"

The End

Competition winners

Flip N' Build

Step 3



UP UP AND AWAY!

with LEGO Club member Lloyd Thomas!

Imagine you're a pilot patrolling the skies to help Merseyside Police catch criminals!

What a fantastic adventure that would be - as eight-year-old Lloyd Thomas found out when he visited Liverpool Airport for a great prize day out.

LEGO Club member Lloyd of



Minera, North Wales, won top prize in our 'Choppers Away' competition to visit the Airport for a special tour of Police Helicopter, Mike 1.

Lloyd took his brother Jay and his Mum and Dad along with him and they all took turns to sit behind the controls of the amazing 36ft.



twin-engined aircraft.

Merseyside Police Pilot Captain John and policeman Constable Dave

showed Lloyd and his family around the helicopter and talked through the vital procedures which make sure they and the aircraft are ready for action, 24 hours a day, to take to the air in minutes - just like the LEGO Police Response Unit (Town range 6545).

Captain John showed the boys all the special equipment on board the helicopter including the 'Sky Shout' loud hailer and the 'Night Sun' spotlight that shines as bright as 30 million candles.

They also saw the special thermal camera that takes pictures of what's



happening below - helping the police to help the public!

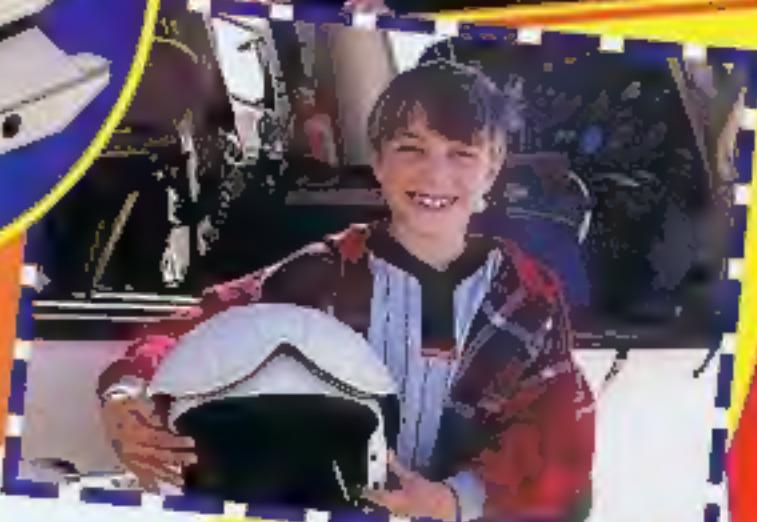
Just when it was time to leave, one of the Airport's bright yellow Fire Engines pulled up next to Mike 1. Lloyd and Jay were invited to step aboard!

The brothers pulled on the safety helmets and with no time to spare, the engine sounded its siren and whisked them off for an exciting spin, spraying water from the huge water jet as it went!

Lloyd had only one comment to make at the end of the day. "It's been absolutely brilliant!"



PRIZE WON BY LLOYD



Take to the
high seas aboard this
model of the Cutty Sark, and
speed along in this great little
playboat, both built by Solomon
Phinney, aged 6, from New Haven.

— Your Best Pics for the
Master Builder Golden Brick Awards



Well done to all of you who have entered, and to all of you who've got some great ideas - keep on building! **Good luck!**

We really like
this model tent to be
by Christopher
(Membership No. 168151)
Well done Christopher!

Spender, a. 1866. Master Builder, Liege, 1866-1870.

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Remember to include your name, address, and telephone number.

THE WOODEN HORSE

A Golden
Brick goes to
Adam Mori,
who's 5, from
Southampton
(Membership No.
(116819). What's
warming space
rocket?

British writer, 400-4, from Surrey built this model of the submarine 'Orpheus', named after the submarine his father worked on while in the Royal Navy.





Flip N' Build



Adventures on Skull Island

EVEN THE
LEGO ADVENTURER
DESERVES A
BREAK.

AS I SEARCH
SKULL ISLAND
FOR PIRATE
GOLD.

SO FOLLOW
ME ON MY
HOLIDAY IN THIS
SPECIAL COMIC
STRIP...

AN ISLAND WHERE
PIRATES MAY HAVE
BURIED SOME
TREASURE...

TREASURE
THAT IS STILL
TO BE FOUND!

HELP ME
FIND THE HIDDEN
TREASURE MATE,
OR WALK THE
PLANK!

THE
PLANK?!

I DON'T
WANT TO BE A
SHARK'S NEXT
MEAL.

MY HOLIDAY
PLANS WILL
HAVE TO WAIT.

SKULL
ISLAND!
SOME
HOLIDAY.

I DIDN'T SAY
THIS WAS A
HOLIDAY...

WE'RE ON
THE LOOKOUT
FOR TREASURE

WELCOME TO
SKULL ISLAND
Some
PIRATING!

WHERE'S
THE MAP?!

I'VE GOT
IT RIGHT
HERE

THANKS

IMPERIAL
OUTPOST.

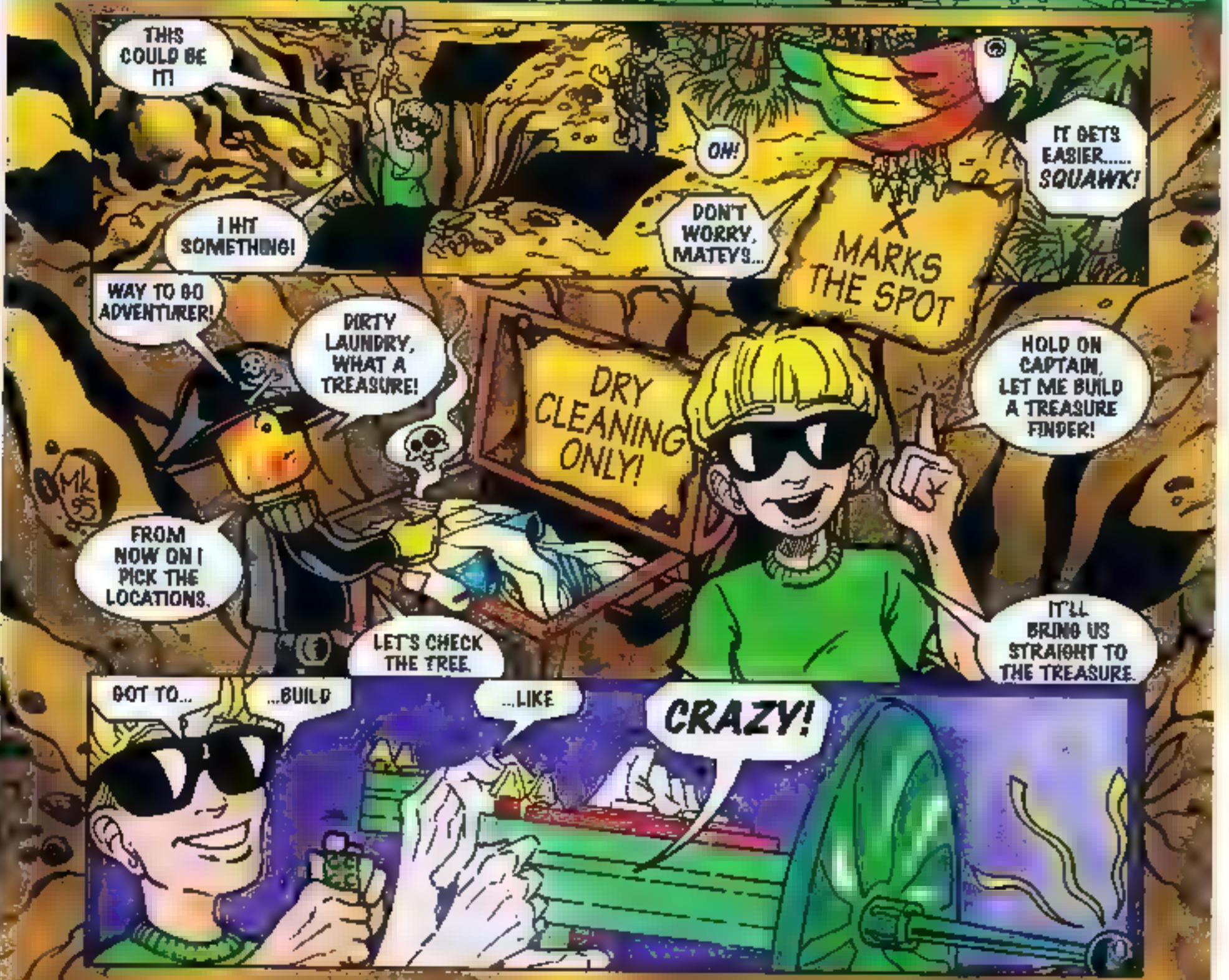
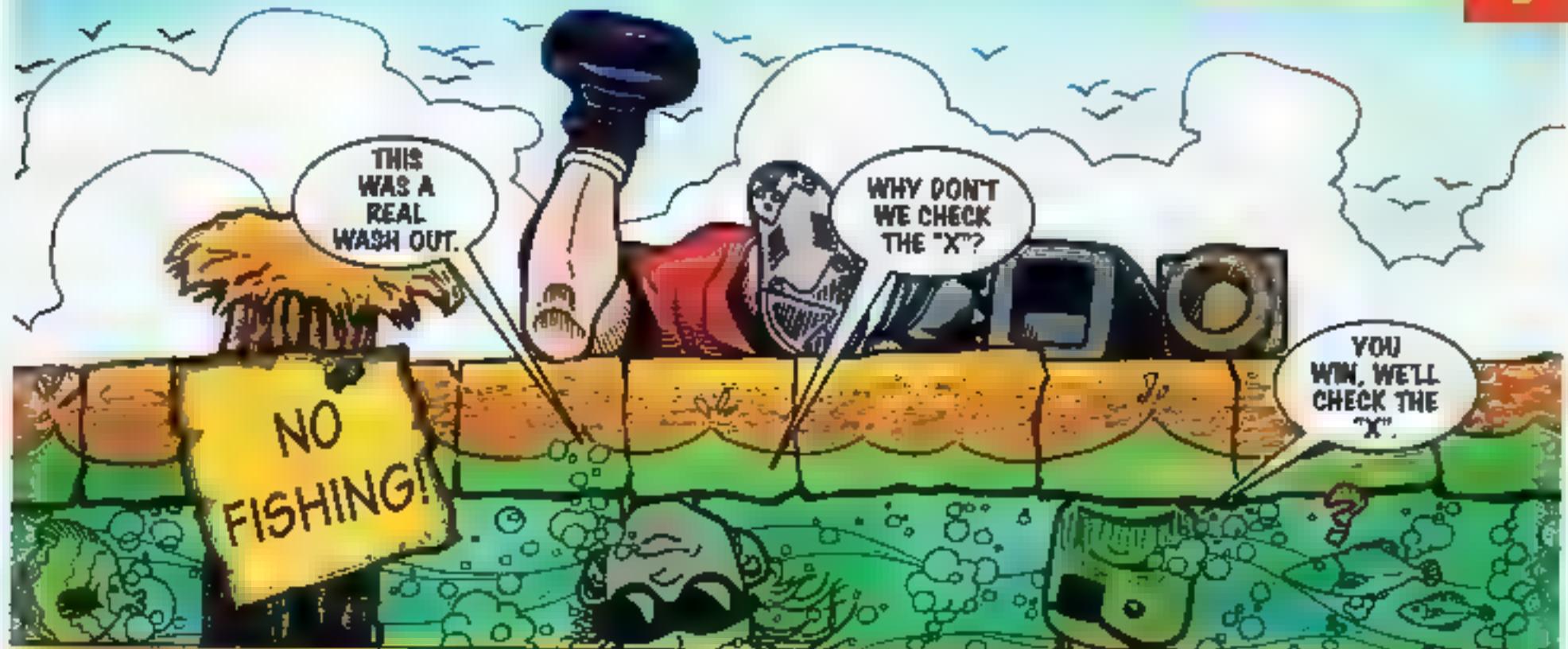
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START
HERE.

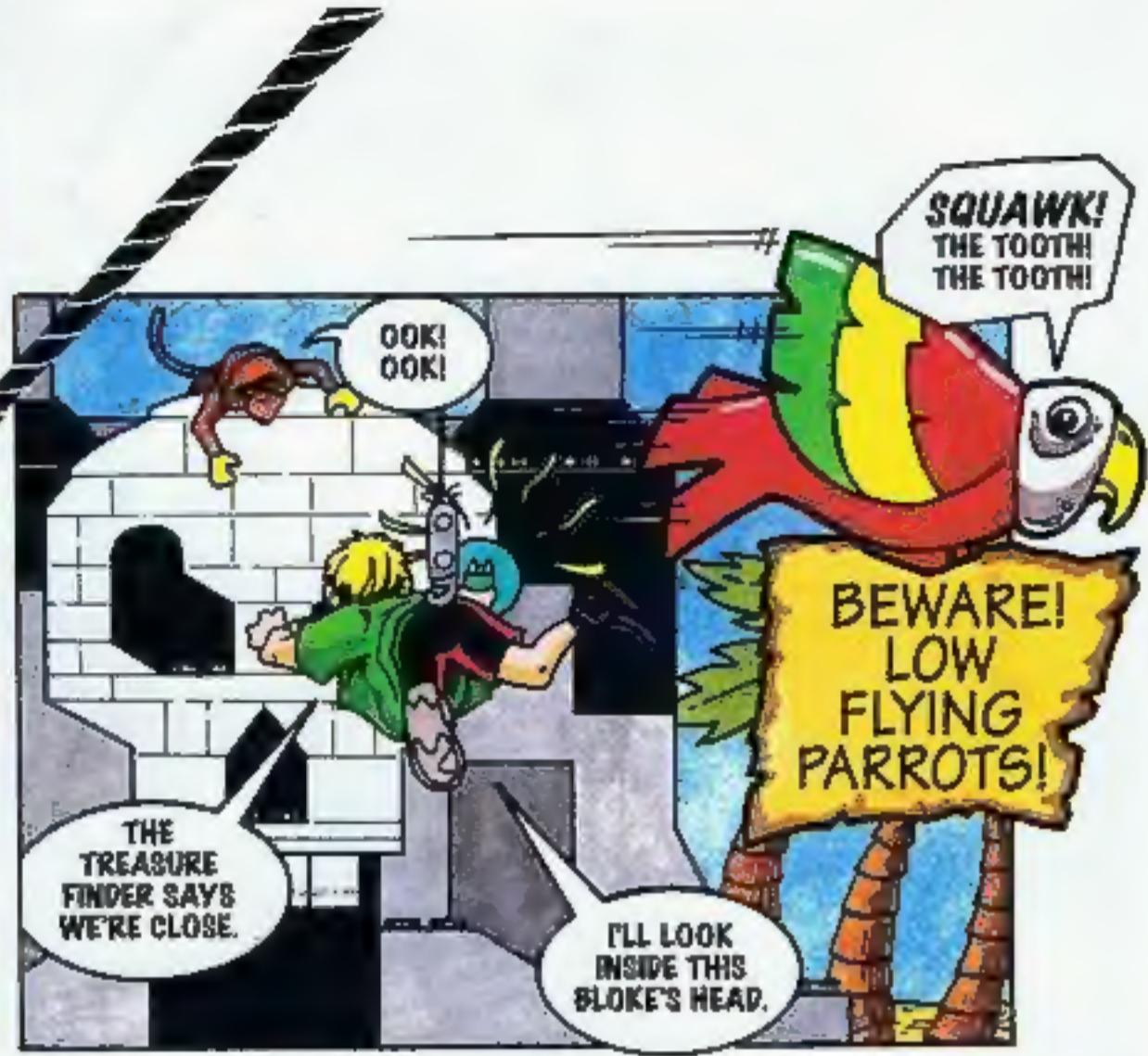
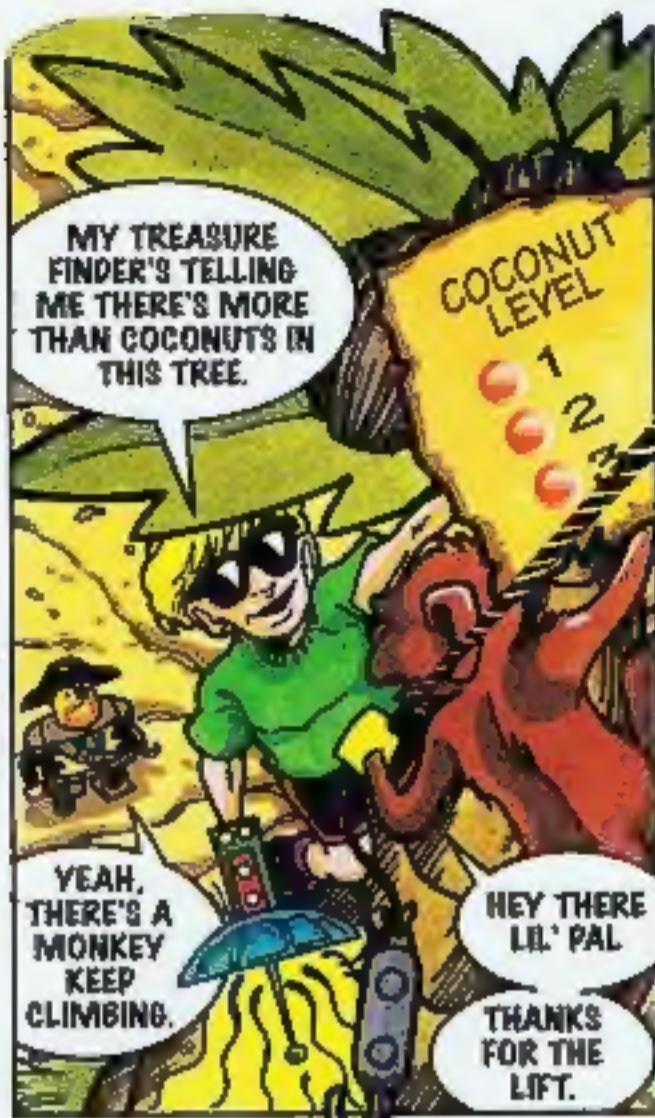
I'M
THE
PIRATE.

CHECK THE
DOCK FIRST.

I KNOW
WHERE PIRATES
MAKING A QUICK
ESCAPE, HIDE
TREASURE

ROCKY
REEF.





SPACE EXPLORIENS COMPETITION

Michael Stuart, aged 11, from Prescot, Merseyside will visit Jodrell Bank on his out of this world prize day out.

Michael will explore outer space and have lunch with a real astronomer on his prize day out at Jodrell Bank Astronomy Centre in Cheshire. He also wins a fantastic LEGO Explorien set.

Watch out for more news of this prize day in the next issue.

The five 2nd prize winners who each win a LEGO Explorien Crusader set (6856) are:

Charles Hoey of Portcawl, Mid Glamorgan
Trevor O'Brien of Leicester

Ben Andrews of Billericay, Essex
Zoe Clarke of BFP 40
Stuart Lockie of Melrose, Roxburghshire

The 20 runners-up who each win a LEGO Explorien keyring are:

Ralph Shuckell of Ipswich, Suffolk
Stuart Howard of Windsor, Berkshire
Michael Cooper of Witham, Essex
Christopher Wakefield of Dundee
Tom Cullen of Bexley
Christopher Penny of Manchester
Katherine Routh of Bracknell, Berkshire
Christopher Duncombe of Chatham, Kent



Step 7

Sam Litchfield of Anstey, Leicestershire
Sarah Griffiths of Fleet, Hampshire
Sarah Owen of Wall Heath, West Midlands
Oliver Green of Walderslade, Kent
Andrew Clements of Nunton
Kate Edmondson of Lancaster
Michael Grant of Basildon
Ashley Valje of Dadby, Leicestershire
Kirsty Barrell of Fleet, Hampshire
Jennifer Henderson of Sittingbourne, Kent
Tom Collingwood of Sheffield
James Hepworth of Liverpool

LEGO Touring Shows

Have you been to your nearest shopping centre recently?

The LEGO Touring Shows are doin' the latest round of their free shows - there might be one near you!

LEGO Crazy Builders are the wackiest builders in town. See these wonderful animated models come to life with the push of a button. Includes 'The Pioneers' (Space), 'Bricklayers' (Time) and more....



DATES
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30 August - 14 Sept.
18 Oct - 2 Nov
6 Dec - Jan 97

SHOPPING CENTRE
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Dolphin
Treaty
Plantasia

TOWN
Wolverhampton
Poole
Hounslow
Swansea

DATES
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17 - 30 August
6 - 28 September
12 - 26 October
2 - 16 November
30 Nov - Jan 97

SHOPPING CENTRE
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TOWN
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To find your nearest Deep Pan Pizza Co. restaurant call Freephone 0800 600 900.

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